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<i>BM</i>	3	5,742,498	04/1998	Taniguchi et al.	363	145	
<i>BM</i>	4	5,097,167	03/1992	Kanayama et al.	310	201	
<i>BM</i>	5	2,928,963	03/1960	Bertsche et al.	310	168	
<i>BM</i>	6	1,822,261	09/1931	Apple	310	201	
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<i>Bm</i>	35	5,132,581	07/1992	Kusase	<i>310</i>	<i>263</i>	
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